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DORFF'S

Dahlia Gardens

945 Ephriam Street

EAST LIVERPOOL, OHIO



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My 1944 Introduction

JAMES ROSS

The World's Champion Red

I have grown all the best Reds for the past fifteen years, and JAMES ROSS is the Champion of them all. Priced at:

TUBERS	\$10.00 Net
PLANTS	5.00 Net
CUTTINGS	2.50 Net

Grover C. Moelineaux, of Brooklyn, N. Y., one of the best growers of the state, says James Ross is sure the world's champion red.

This dahlia was tried out by Mr. Carl Salback of Berkeley, Cal., who says: "It is the greatest red to date."

Mr. C. B. Ambrose of Norfolk, Va., one of the greatest dahlia growers of the South, says it is the finest dahlia he ever grew and he grows nothing but the best.

Mr. A. A. Ames of Yakima, Wash., grew this dahlia last year and he says it is a World Beater.

Mr. A. J. Schlagheck, proprietor of the Isabelle Dahlia Gardens of Toledo, Ohio, says the James Ross is a wonderful dahlia. The best red he has ever seen.

Mr. Hal Hart of the Hart Dahlia Gardens, Perrysburg, Ohio, a noted writer and lecturer of dahlias and other flowers, who grew James Ross last year, says that it is a beautiful dark velvet red dahlia, the best he has ever seen.

Mr. Henry Ritzer of W. Bridgewater, Pa., one of the largest growers in that state says, it is the finest dahlia he has ever grown and it can't be beat for size, color and formation.

Mr. Harold Gallimore, ex-president of East Liverpool Dahlia Society, who has more ribbons and cups than any grower in

this district, and is one of the outstanding dahlia growers in this section, says that it is not only the best red, but the best dahlia he ever saw.

Mr. James Riel, one of the oldest growers in the City, says James Ross is the dahlia wonder of the age.

JAMES ROSS is an Informal Decorative and will grow from 10x14x8 inches. This dahlia is a rugged grower, heavy bloomer, a good tuber maker and has a wonderful stem that holds the bloom well out of the foliage. Insects do not bother this dahlia. This dahlia won a first in a vase of three in seedling class, and also a first in an open class in the Pittsburgh, Pa. Dahlia Show last year.

Price List for 1944

1943 Plants

Baker's Best—I. D., primrose, large, very fine	\$1.00
Bataan—S. C., red and gold, 8 in.50
Commando—F. D., dark lavender, large . . .	1.00
Irene Dunne—I. C., rose pink, a beauty . . .	1.00
India Giant—I. D., apricot, large	1.00
John Sherwood—I. D., purple and crome, large	1.00
Montebello—F. D., orchid and crimson, large	.75
Stalin—Cac., red75
Wings—S. C., carmine, large	1.00

1942 Plants

Enchantress—S. C., orange and rose	\$.50
Indian Summer—S. C., yellow & orange, large	.50
Stephen Foster—I. C., buff and rose, a beauty	.50
Tops—I. D., clear yellow, best on the market	.75
Crowning Glory—C., pink and cream, a beauty	.75

Watch for Bonnie Lee, semi cactus, bronze and gold, large and better than Dahliamum. Will go 15 inches by 10. Will be introduced in 1945.

ALL PRICES ARE NET

No Orders Accepted for Less Than \$3.00

INTRODUCING FOR 1944

JAMES ROSS, the world's champion dark velvet red, velvet from tip to center, on Lynn B. Dudley's Honor Roll in Flower Grower.